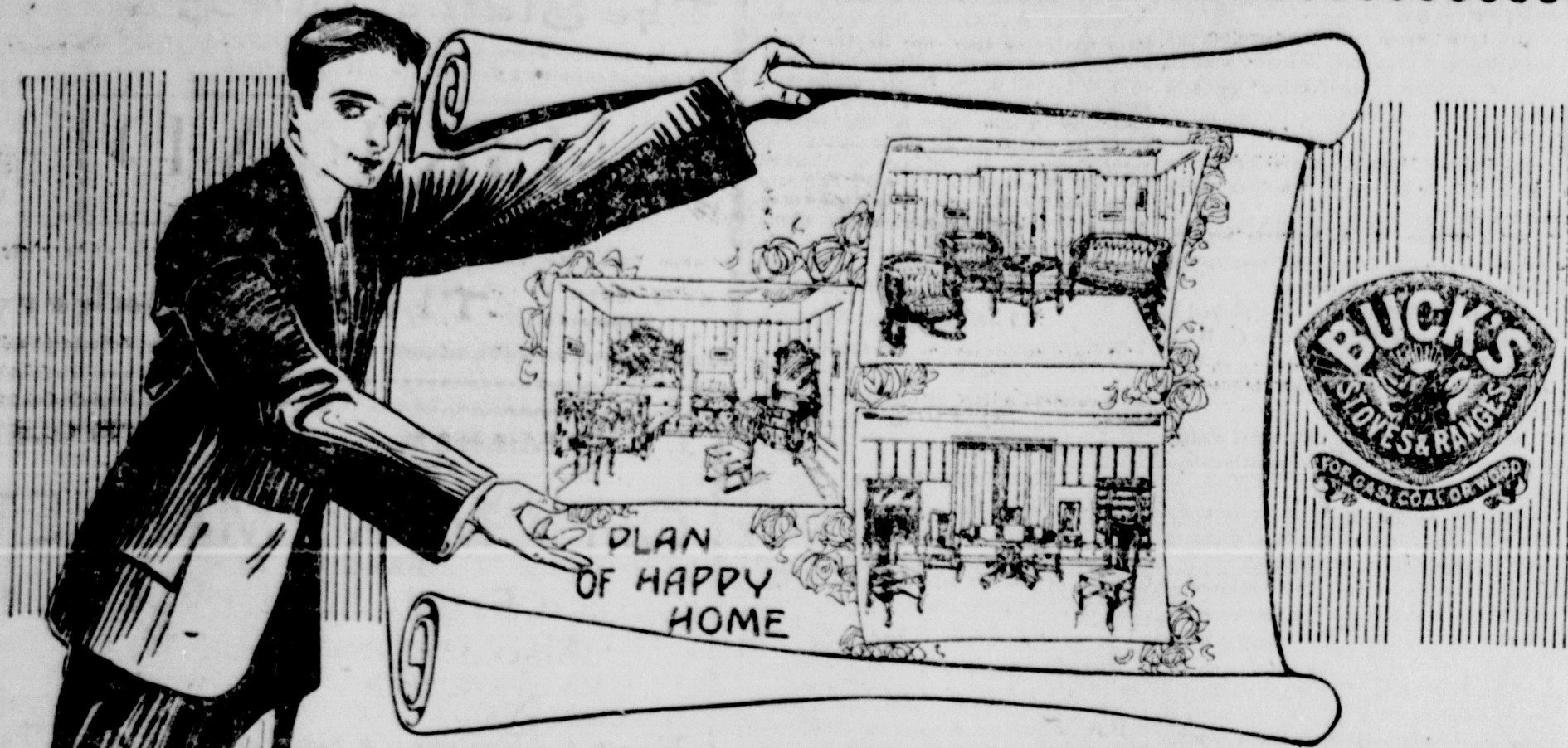


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This illustration will have to be the testimony of the real comforts and the ideal surroundings in this cozy home. The designs are indications of the carefully selected woods and a suggestion of the high grade workmanship. "Our Hobby is furnishing homes like this. There are many homes in Hondo and vicinity furnished by us. If you are ready for house-furnishing it's to your interest to see us. Our one price system, all goods marked in **plain figures**, and a special discount of **Ten per cent for cash** together with the fact that we also **prepay freight charges**, should interest you."

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In Gowns, Costumes, Wraps, Furs, Tailor-made Suits and Waists indicative of the complete readiness of the many sections of our women's ready-to-wear department.

We are starting this Fall campaign better fortified than ever before, and if high-class, stylishly made garments at popular prices count for anything, our Ready-to-Wear business this season will show an enormous increase over that of previous years. Many of the new and interesting styles now being shown, embody features similar to the best foreign models; the fabrics have been selected with the greatest care, wearing qualities as well as patterns and color being carefully considered.

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17 lbs. Standard granulated sugar	\$1.00
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We aim to sell garments good enough to make a man invest his money. And satisfying enough to make him come back to us when he wants another suit or overcoat. Every model, be it the

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or the more conservative business man's suit, is built on quality.

Quality that guarantees the style and cut to be authoritative; that offers to you a fabric of which every thread is "All-Wool"; that puts on your back a suit as expertly hand-tailored and as correctly finished as the finest custom-made suit or overcoat worn.

Come in and let us prove to you that Kirschbaum suits at

\$15, \$20 and \$25

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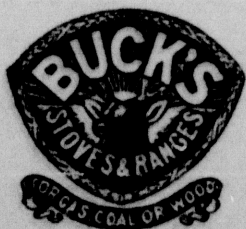
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1912.

Lacoste Laconics.

BY BLUE BELLE.

EDITOR ANVIL HERALD:—

Miss Clara Rihn of Castroville is spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Keller.

Grandma Mangold and daughter, Miss Bada, of Castroville is the guest of Mrs. Theresa Mangold this week. Messrs. Albert and Paul Keller of Devine were here on business Wednesday.

Misses Olivada and Octavia Allen of Lytle were pleasant visitors here Tuesday.

Misses Anna Rihn and Mary Mangold and George Mangold of Castroville visited here Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Lina Loessberg is the guest of relatives in San Antonio this week.

L. T. Ahr arrived here from Idlewild today and is reported on the sick list. C. McGarr, night operator, attended court at San Antonio this week and E. A. King of Uvalde is in the office during his absence.

E. W. Tschirhart and brother of Castroville were here Friday.

Hy. Mangold and wife of Noonan spent Friday with Mrs. Theresa Mangold.

Ferdinand Ahr spent several days the past week in San Antonio.

Mrs. Matt. Jungmann and sister, Miss Caroline Bohl of Potranco visited relatives here Friday.

Messrs. Ed and Gus Tripp of MacDona were here last week.

Bert Myers transacted business in San Antonio this week.

Louis Scherrer, manager of Courand's store at Castroville, was here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Luckie, Mrs. W. H. Hawkes and children, Mrs. E. F. Hilliard, Mrs. O. P. Jungmann, Mrs. Fred Biediger, Misses Ella Haessler, Mary Mangold, Annie Rihn and Ella Mangold, Messrs. Alfred Mangold, Fred Hawkes, John and August Burger, Roy Carroll, Mack Luckie, Conrad Loessberg and Herman Jungmann attended Buffalo Bill's show in San Antonio Saturday.

Alfred Bippert and family spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at Biry.

The Sons of Hermann held their regular monthly meeting Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger and daughters, Misses Helen and Elizabeth, and little Ruby Mann autoed to San Antonio Sunday on a visit to relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zuercher and Mrs. Kempf of Devine boarded the train for D'Hanis Monday to attend the funeral of the late Frank Deckert, brother of Mrs. Zuercher.

Misses Mamie Reicherzer and Elizabeth Biediger were pleasant visitors in Castroville Thursday.

Mrs. McVey returned to her home at Brownsville to-day after a brief stay here. She was accompanied to San Antonio by her brother, Burl Blackwell.

A pleasant birthday surprise was tendered to Miss Della Kauffmann at her home Saturday night in honor of her birthday anniversary. Those in attendance were: Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Jungmann, Mr. and Mrs. W. Jungmann, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kaufmann, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Gross, Mrs. O'Brien, Misses Della Kauffmann, Lela Crow, Lucie Crane, Regina Mangold, Mary Salzmann, the Misses Green and several other girls whose names we failed to learn, Messrs. Jim Shelton, Albert Salzmann, Robert and Alfred Mangold, John Zuercher, Jack Matthews, Tom O'Brien, John Nenting, Gus Tripp, Fred Ford, Burt Meyers, A. L. Cunningham, W. W. Foreman, Oscar Kaufmann, Frank and Oscar Mangold, Mr. Green, Geo. Lessing and Louis Biediger. Miss Della was taken completely by surprise. Dancing, singing and feasting were the evening's diversions. The center of the supper table was decorated with a beautiful birthday cake with 18 burning candles which represented Miss Della's anniversary. After partaking of the sumptuous midnight supper, the famous Lessing string band rendered the sweet strains of Home, Sweet Home which sent one and all to their respective homes wishing Miss Della many happy returns of her natal day.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mangold paid a visit to Max Bippert and family at the Sauz Sunday.

This section was again blessed with a fine rain on Thursday and another on Sunday.

Come, one and all, to the grand Church Bazaar at Lacoste St. Mary's Church Sunday, Oct. 6, 1912.

Lacoste, Texas, Oct. 1, 1912.

Dunlay Doings.

BY UNCLE SAM.

ED ANVIL HERALD:—

Mr. Joe Horn from Quihi was seen in town Monday.

Mrs. Jac. Breiten paid a visit to her daughter Mrs. Alb. Mumme Thursday.

Messrs. Adolph Haby Sr. and brother, Jac, were Castroville visitors last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bader attended the leap year dance at Black Creek given by the shooting Club at their hall and reported having had a fine time, every one enjoying it.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Haby from lower Dunlay attended church in Castroville last Sunday.

A good crowd from here attended the dance at the Quihi Shooting hall last Saturday evening given by the members. They reported a fine time.

Mrs. Hy. Finger from D'Hanis came in on the Saturday's train to visit Mr. Ad. Haby, and from here went to Haby Settlement visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Schulte and smaller children were shopping in Hondo Tuesday.

Jacob Burrell from lower Dunlay was in town a while one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jac. Breiten and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stiegler from New Fountain were Dam Site visitors Monday and reported having had a rather fine time.

Wm. Schmidt from here is visiting homefolks at Quihi for a few days.

Ed. Hutzler and family paid a visit to Wm. Reitzer and family last Sunday.

Mr. Alf. Mumme was a Hondo business visitor Wednesday.

Alf., Ed. and Rob. Schulte are at present picking cotton for Mr. Otto Brucks. Pickers are so scarce the farmers are helping one another as much as they possibly can.

This vicinity was blessed with another good soaking rain last night which makes both farmer and stockman all smiles.

This is all the news for this time as you know Uncle Sam is a busy man and has no time to be on the streets all the time and catch all the news. So we ask Sleepy to help us out every once in a while and oblige.

Sept. 26, 1912.
(Arrived too late for last week.
—Editor.)

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D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Mrs. S. H. Roller left for Sabinal on Sunday to spend a few days with Miss Dona Alexander on the ranch.

Mr. Oscar Rothe left Sunday evening for Georgetown where he will enter the Southwest Texas University this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britz and Mesdames Leo. Britz and Willie O'Donell made an overland trip to San Antonio on Saturday last.

Mr. J. M. Koch, the brewery agent here, has put on a new delivery wagon for the purpose of delivering ice and beer to his customers.

Mr. Ernest Thorp, Editor of the Medina Valley Herald, came Saturday night to visit his wife who has been here sick.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Enderle returned Sunday night from their trip to the Golden Gates of California.

Mr. Henz Rothe, who is employed in the dispatcher's Office of the G. H. & S. A. R. R. at San Antonio, is here spending a few days with homefolks out on the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Batot left Saturday evening for a visit to relatives and friends in San Antonio.

Mr. Joe Langfeld went to San Antonio on last Sunday night on business and returned on Monday night.

Mrs. Henry DeHart and children of San Antonio came out on last Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. Geo. Langfeld.

The Kincheloe Prairie School will open Monday Sept. 30th. The trustees have employed Miss Katie Saathoff to teach the ensuing term.

Mr. Louis Enderle is reported on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Ernest Thorp who has been sick here, we are glad to report is up again.

Mrs. Louis Enderle returned on Friday night from her trip to California.

Prof. S. H. Roller was here from Lacoste on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Louis Koch and his sister, Miss Clara, came in from San Antonio on Thursday last.

Mrs. Louis Reiber came in Wednesday from San Antonio where she had been visiting her Mother, Mrs. Reinhart who is there sick.

Miss Alice Rothe left Wednesday morning for San Antonio on a visit to relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Enderle and children left Tuesday morning for their home at Beaumont.

Messrs. Rothe and Koch shipped out a car load of corn to the San Antonio market this week.

Messrs. T. A. White and Grover Goff stepped over in the city on their way from Sabinal to their home in Hondo on Tuesday last.

Editor Thorp of the Medina Valley Herald, after spending a few days here returned to his home at Lacoste on Monday evening accompanied by Mrs. Thorp.

Mr. Henry Rudinger is confined to his bed by getting too warm on Tuesday afternoon. He was putting up a tank for Mr. Ed. Koch, in the south part of town.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitutions and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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To maintain health, a mature man or woman needs just enough food to repair the waste and supply energy and body heat. The habitual consumption of more food than is necessary for these purposes is the prime cause of stomach troubles, rheumatism and disorders of the kidneys. If troubled with indigestion, revise your diet, let reason and not appetite control and take a few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will soon be all right again. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Tell a man he mustn't do this or that and he'll proceed to show you that he can.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Tax Assessor.

To the Voters of Medina County:
Thanking you for the honors you have conferred upon me in the past and assuring you that if again favored by you I shall in the future as in the past give my very best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County and respectfully ask for the support and the votes of all voters for the same at the ensuing November election.
Respectfully,
H. B. TAYLOR.

For County Clerk.

To the Voters of Medina County:
Thanking you for the honors you have conferred upon me in the past and assuring you that if again favored by you I shall in the future as in the past give my very best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County and respectfully ask for the support and the votes of all voters for the same at the ensuing November election.
Respectfully,
S. A. JUNGMAN.

For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce
Joe F. Bader
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

For Tax Collector.

We are authorized to announce
JOE NEY
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Judge

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors I again announce as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Medina County at the next November election and kindly ask your support and vote for said office.
H. E. HAASE.

For District Clerk

We are authorized to announce
AUG. KEMPF SR.
as a candidate for re-election to the office of District Clerk of Medina County at the November election.

For County Attorney

We are authorized to announce
RALPH J. NOONAN
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Attorney of Medina County at the November election.

For County Treasurer.

We are authorized to announce
L. E. HEATH
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of Medina County, at the November election.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction.

We are authorized to announce
W. N. SAATHOFF
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County, at the November election.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1

To the Voters of Medina County:
Thanking you for your support in the past and pledging a faithful discharge of the duties of the office in the future as in the past if honored again with the same, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election, and solicit the votes and support of all voters for the same.
Respectfully,
B. H. BRUCKS.

For Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 at the November election.

For Constable, Prec. No. 1.

We are authorized to announce
JIM HALL
as a candidate for the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher

We are authorized to announce
H. H. Crow
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Public Weigher for Hondo Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher

We are authorized to announce
JOE HUESER
as a candidate for the office of Public weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

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I want you to know how much good your Hunt's Cure has done me. I had suffered with Itching Piles fifteen years, and when I was traveling through Texas a man told me of your Hunt's Cure. I got a 50c box and it cured me.

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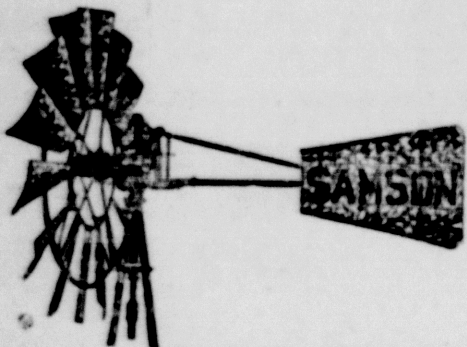
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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville, —

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

We were indeed glad to greet our friend and old time neighbor of Sauz last Monday. Mr. Mechler just recently recovered and is convalescing from a severe illness of two months duration. We join his many friends in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Sheriff Bader of Hondo, was a Castroville business visitor Monday.

A most peculiar accident happened to a Mr. Roberson, the blacksmith at Crane's Canal Camp Wednesday evening. It seems he undertook to enlarge the bunghole of a new whiskey barrel (empty) by the aid of a red hot iron rod, when suddenly an explosion occurred, fracturing the poor fellow's leg. The barrel was torn into atoms.

Ruf. Evans of the Verde passed through town the middle of the week, enroute to the San Antonio market with a load of hogs.

Butcher Ed. Hans left early Wednesday morning for Parker's Creek in quest of fat cattle, and succeeded in buying a fine bunch from Messrs. Pete Weynand, and Joe Lutz.

This immediate Section was again blessed by a 1 1/2 inch rain Thursday morning.

Surveyor H. V. Haas returned from a business trip to Hondo just before the rain.

Hon. R. J. Noonan, our popular County Attorney of Hondo, was again

in our midst on legal business Friday.

Another man fell from a scaffold at Flume No. 11 Saturday evening and was severely bruised by a heavy iron bolt striking him on the back.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Halbardier and children left Saturday evening on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Koenig, returning Sunday evening.

An altercation occurred Saturday night on September Square, between several Mexicans and Whites wherein a couple of the Mexicans were pretty badly done up.

A game of Ball was played here Sunday afternoon, Castroville vs. Quidi. The score was 6 to 2 in favor of Castroville. 'Rah for the Blues. C. L. Marty returned Sunday from a several days business trip to the Alamo City.

Mr. Jos. Hans, our assistant Butcher of East Side, was tendered a pleasant surprise Sunday. A number of relatives and friends gathered, and a fine dinner was served. Plenty of refreshments were provided and the day was pleasantly spent in feasting and merry making.

Miss Alma Etter left Sunday for San Antonio where she will remain for a while.

It tried awfully hard to rain Sunday evening and night but we are sorry to say, it failed.

Castroville, 9, 30, 12.

Saved By His Wife.

She's a wise woman who knows just what to do when her husband's life is in danger, but Mrs. R. J. Flint, Brain-tree, Vt., is of that kind. "She insisted on my using Dr. King's New Discovery," writes Mr. F. "for a dreadful cough, when I was so weak my friends all thought I had only a short time to live, and it completely cured me." A quick cure for coughs and colds, it's the most safe and reliable medicine for many throat and lung troubles—grip, bronchitis, croup, whooping cough, quinsy, tonsillitis, hemorrhages. A trial will convince you. 50cts. and \$1.00. Guaranteed by W. H. Windrow.

There's nobody's honesty a woman is so suspicious of as the husband of a woman who buys her more clothes than her husband can.

Chronic Dyspepsia.

The following unsolicited testimonial should certainly be sufficient to give hope and courage to persons afflicted with chronic dyspepsia: I have been a chronic dyspeptic for years, and of all the medicine I have taken, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have done me more good than anything else," says W. G. Mattison, No. 7 Sherman St., Hornellsville, N. Y. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

One trouble is that so many people Don't Care when they should.

Fortunes In Faces.

There's often much truth in the saying "her face is her fortune," but its never said where pimples, skin eruptions, blotches, or other blemishes disfigure it. Impure blood is back of them all, and shows the need of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They promote health and beauty. Try them. 25 cents at W. H. Windrow's.

For Stomach and Bowel Trouble—

use Ware's Black Powder or Ware's Black Powder Tablets, safe and reliable remedies.

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TEXAN IS BORN ARMLESS. BUT OVERCOMES HANDICAP

Coming into the world without arms 43 years ago, Aaron Smith of Fort Worth, Tex., has won success in two professions, besides rearing an orphan brother and sister, and caring for his aged father and his own family of three. At present Mr. Smith is editor of the Transmitter, the only independent telephone magazine south of Chicago, and is proprietor of a prosperous job printing establishment.



Because of the expedients which he has been forced by necessity to invent for taking care of himself and conducting his business and the wonderful faculty which he has acquired in doing things that would be impossible feats for normal human beings. Mr. Smith has been offered large sums to appear on the vaudeville stage.

Mr. Smith was born in Miller county, Arkansas, near the Texas-Arkansas line. He was educated mostly in the public schools. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in Mount Pleasant in 1889. In 1893 he bought the Mount Pleasant Times-Review and later bought the Weatherford Democrat, which he published for nine years. He went to Fort Worth as editor of the Co-Operator, official organ of the Farmers' union at that time, with a wide circulation. It was only two years ago that he took up the Transmitter and put it on a paying basis.

When he was a boy Mr. Smith's feet took the place of hands. He could do most anything with his feet that a normal man can do with his hands, including the writing of letters in a clear, flowing "hand."

In his office Mr. Smith has few appliances that would not be found in any office. His telephone has a fixed receiver, as well as the ordinary kind. When it rings he lifts the ordinary receiver off the book with his teeth and listens through the stationary receiver.

He now does all of his writing by holding his pen in his teeth. He uses an ordinary pen, never a fountain pen. It is a singular fact that his "hand-writing," whether he holds the pen with his toes or between his teeth, never varies.

Noonan Notes.

BY BLUE RIEBON.

Editor Anvil Herald:—Lowe Wade visited Lacoste Tuesday. Will Bowman of Devine is visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf visited in Lytle Thursday.

Jesse Heath visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Heath Thursday.

Woodson Green made a trip to Devine Thursday.

Messrs. Walter Fox and Jno. Spenser of Lytle were here Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Haas of Devine visited Henry Kempf and family Friday.

Chas. Haas made a business trip to San Antonio last week.

A good rain fell here Friday night.

Mr. Lowe and grand-daughter, Miss Hazel Farris, visited in Devine Friday.

Miss Alvina Kempf and brother, Joe, Archie Farris, Jesse Heath, Henry Mangold, Mr. Pierce and son, Charlie, visited Noonan Sunday.

Mrs. Franklin of Lacoste visited San Antonio Thursday.

Mrs. Braesicker is visiting her son and his wife on the canal this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kempf visited Henry Kempf and family Monday.

George Christilles made a trip to Lytle last week. Sept 26, 1912.

(Arrived too late for last issue.—Ed.)

They Make You Feel Good.

The pleasant purgative effect produced by Chamberlain's stomach and Liver Tablets and the healthy condition of body and mind which they create make one feel joyful. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Some people lead such an aimless existence that they could fire at random without hitting it.

Joints that ache, muscles that are drawn or contracted should be treated with BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It penetrates to the spot where it is needed and relieves suffering. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

If we could only put by some of the enthusiasm of youth for the rainy days of old age!

Best Sewage Filter. Experiments with fish and chemical analysis show that the best material for filtering sewage is natural turf.

What a man can't understand is how a woman would rather write letters than enjoy herself.

A loafer is the only one who really feels like putting in overtime at his regular occupation.

Next to knowing what to do in an emergency the best thing is to know what not to do.

To nurse a grievance requires no preliminary course in a training school or hospital.

FROM THE TROPICS TO HEAL US



In Central America many natives are gathering the seeds of this plant, Cedron Seed, a rare medicine that has valuable curative powers. But few drug stores carry this seed, owing to the high cost of the article.

This country is a large consumer of this costly seed because it enters into the famous catarrh remedy, Peruna, sold the world over.



Come have your EYES Examined and Tested for GLASSES.

No Drugs Used. If you have weak eyes or eye strain you must always have pains in the head. I am now fully equipped to give you relief. It is dangerous to wait with eyes in this condition. I have the Kryptok lens, nothing to indicate you have two lenses combined in one. I sell the genuine Kryptoks. 2nd floor, Leinweber Bldg. J. H. PLUCK, OPTOMETRIST

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New Fountain Notes.

BY NARRATOR.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:

Light showers of rain, sufficient to keep the dust settled and to delay cotton picking somewhat, have fallen within the past week.

H. Laules and family arrived here the first of the week from San Angelo. He seemed very anxious to pick cotton; more so than were the growers to hire him, because he had too big a bunch of horses that he required feed.

The New Fountain High School opened Monday with Miss Ruby Langford as principal and Miss Emma Lip-pold, assistant teacher.

Charlie Roberts of Hondo in his car took Geo. and Willie Leinweber to that place, and Chas. Sennie from this place up to the Medina dam Saturday.

John Pehlen and Robert Breiten and Misses Emma and Lizette Breiten were here from Dunlap Sunday on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stiegler.

The Quini base ball team went over to Castroville Sunday and played that team a game of ball that afternoon.

John Muennink left Monday for U-valde, where he is attending court.

F. Oehler of San Antonio, representative of Otto Zirkels Marble and Granite Monuments, was here in the interest of that firm.

George and Louis A. Gerles were Hondo visitors yesterday.

New Fountain, Oct. 2, 1912.

To My Old and New Customers.

I am still in the market with the best Washing Machine in the United States and it is the Lott or Peerless Washer. It washes by steam. Over 200 in use in your county now. This machine saves time, labor and fuel, and any child can operate it. It will last a life time. For prices on extra parts or the machine write to

2mo. T. A. CHRISTIANUS,
Box 594. Brady, Texas.

GRAND OPENING SALE OF THE SUGARMAN SUPPLY CO., IS NOW ON

We are Located in the Elder Bldg.

The Sugarman Supply Company, in order to introduce itself to the people in and around Hondo, will offer the enormous stock of Ladies', Men's and Children's Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Hosiery, Etc., at a great bargain and will save the purchaser at from 35c to 50c on the dollar. The following are a few of the many bargains we have in store for you. Come and examine our stock. No trouble to show goods.

Men's Suits	Ladies' Skirts
\$30 Men's Suits, now \$15.00	We have a big assortment of Ladies' Skirts of the latest style in all colors which we offer at a sacrifice.
20 Men's Suits, now 10.00	\$15.00 Ladies' Skirts, now \$10.00
10 Men's Suits, now 5.00	12.00 Ladies' Skirts, now 8.00
	10.00 Ladies' Skirts, now 6.00
	5.00 Ladies' Skirts, now 3.00
	4.00 Ladies' Skirts, now 2.25
Boys' Suits	Men's Shirts
\$10 Boys' Suits, now \$5.00	\$1.50 Men's Shirts, now .98c
8 Boys' Suits, now 4.50	1.00 Men's Shirts, now .75c
5 Boys' Suits, now 3.00	75c Men's Shirts, now .50c
4 Boys' Suits, now 2.00	50c Men's Shirts, now .29
Special	
\$3.00 Boys' Suits, now \$1.25	

We make a specialty of all kinds of clothing for men, ladies and children. It will pay you to look our stock over

SUGARMAN SUPPLY CO.

A. J. Kaufman, General Manager

County Court Docket.

County Court will convene here at 1:30 o'clock P. M. next Monday, October 7th, for the October term.

The following is the docket:

CIVIL.

First National Bank of Hondo vs. James A. Weir, suit on note.

Medina Irrigation Co. vs. F. P. Seckatz, objection to award of Condemnation Commissioners.

W. P. Bishop vs. W. T. Henson and W. C. Webb, suit on contract and damages.

C. N. Green vs. Roach, Stansell & Crane, suit on contract.

Geo. B. Noonan vs. B. A. Carter and Jim Carter, suit for damages.

J. W. Moorman vs. The Medina Valley Irrigation Co., suit on debt.

CRIMINAL.

State vs. Marvin Gentry, unlawfully carrying a pistol.

State vs. Marvin Gentry, aggravated assault. (Two cases)

State vs. Fred Stich, unlawfully carrying a pistol.

There are several other cases on the docket in which no arrests have been made.

Obituary.

In loving memory of our dear uncle, Mr. Frank Deckert, who died at his home at Squirrel Creek at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, Sept. 29, 1912, and was buried at D'Hanis at 10 o'clock Monday morning in the Catholic cemetery.

Oh! how sad it was to hear that he is dead. But our dear uncle was well prepared for his last hour, and left a good lesson for the remembrance of his beloved ones who are left behind to mourn for him. He was always a good and true Christian, so let us take his advice and follow him so that when our time comes we will be well prepared. Our beloved uncle has left us, gone from us ever more, but trusting that we may meet him, on that bright and eternal shore, where all is sunshine.

Where the storms and winds never roar,
Let us not wish back the dear departed,
From the place where all suffering is o'er.
But pray for those who linger here on earth,
For our hearts are grieved and sore.

—LILLIE DECKERT.

Paint and Not

Paint was never before so high as last year and this: about \$2.25 a gallon Devco and a half-dollar less for trash. What is trash?

It looks like paint and pretends to be paint, but isn't worth painting. It costs a painter's day's-work to put on a gallon of paint, good or bad; and a painter's day's-work is \$3 or \$4.

Add that to the price of a gallon. That is the cost of a gallon. Devco is \$5 or \$6 a gallon; and trash a half-dollar less.

But Devco is all paint and more too; you added oil to it; and gallon is 5 or 6 quarts of perfect paint for the painter's pot. But trash is three-quarters two-thirds or half paint; you pay a half-dollar less for nobody-knows-what-it-is.

10 gallons Devco is enough for the average job; it takes 15 to 20 gallons of trash. And the wear same way. Unfortunately, they look alike when first put on.

DEVCO
HOLLOWAY BROS. sell it.

Mr. W. F. Shaw Promoted.

Some time ago Mr. Theo. M. Plummer, manager for the American Rio Grand Land and Irrigation Co., sent in his resignation and for the past few days the Company has been without a General Manager. A meeting of the board was held Monday and Mr. W. F. Shaw was chosen as Manager to succeed Mr. Plummer.

Mr. Shaw is well known in the valley as he has been the Chief Engineer for the Company for the past three or four years and during that time has worked hard for the interest of it.

Mr. Shaw retains the position of Chief Engineer but is to have an assistant in the person of Mr. Fred M. Carlock. Mr. Carlock has been in the employ of the Company for the past year as engineer and is a man that understands the work in every detail.

There was no change in the President's Office but the President, Mr. Jas. Price, who heretofore has had his office in St. Louis will be located with the office force here —Mercedes Paper.

Road Bonds Carry At Devine.

A very light vote was polled in the road bond election in the Devine Commissioners Precinct Tuesday, the bond issue carrying by ten votes more than the necessary two thirds. Following is the result by voting Precincts:

PRECINCT	FOR	AGAINST
Devine (both boxes)	123	21
Biry	10	21
Black Creek	5	19
Coal Mine	6	0
Haass	0	6
Total	144	67

Majority 77
or 10 more votes than the necessary two-thirds.

Don't Poison Yourself With Mercury

That's What You may Do If You Take Calomel, Because Calomel is a form of Mercury.

If you ask a druggist for bi-chloride of mercury, he will give it to you in a red label bottle marked POISON. Calomel is also a chloride of mercury, as your doctor will tell you, and as everybody knows, mercury is a poison.

When you think you need a dose of calomel, instead of whipping your liver up with the mercury it contains, go to W. H. Windrow's drug store and pay fifty cents for a bottle of Dodson's Liver-Tone, a pure vegetable liquid that starts the liver to action just as surely as calomel does and is perfectly mild and harmless, with no bad after effects. No restriction of habit or diet is necessary.

Dodson's Liver-Tone gives such perfect satisfaction in curing constipation and torpid liver that W. H. Windrow will give the money back to any person who tries it and does not find it a perfect substitute for calomel.

New Dry Goods Firm.

The Sugarman Supply Company, a dry goods concern having eight branches in Texas, have opened a business in the Elder Building next to Windrow's Drug Store. It is said for this company that wherever they are at they are selling goods at reasonable prices and making a big success of all of their undertakings.

Mr. A. J. Kaufman, the general manager for the Hondo branch, is a well known business man of San Antonio and has conducted successfully big dry goods sales in various parts of the United States. He has made friends everywhere because he treats his customers right.

"To make a customer and a friend of a man," said Mr. Kaufman, "I have but to sell him something. Once a customer always a friend is my way of doing business."

Elsewhere will be found an announcement by this firm and they ask a visit from all needing goods in their line.

Grand Bazaar.

There will be a Grand Bazaar for the benefit of St. Mary's church at La-coate, Oct. 6th. All kinds of amusements for young and old. Refreshments will be served on Biediger's block in front of the church. Come one, come all. Everybody invited.

Make your real estate wants known to us. Hondo Land Co.

Get you a new rig and let it be a Henney. Sold by E. R. Leinweber.

The Henney line is the line that wears. See E. R. Leinweber.

Before Going on Your Journey Secure an Aetna Ticket

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PUMP GUN

Solid-Breech, Hammerless, Safe.

Bottom Ejection—empty shells are thrown downward—smoke and gases must go the same way, too—insuring uninterrupted sight—rapid pointing always.

Solid Breech—Hammerless—perfectly balanced—a straight strong sweep of beauty from stock to muzzle.

Three Safety Devices—accidental discharge impossible.

Simple Take-Down—a quarter turn of the barrel does it—carrying, cleaning, interchange of barrels made easy—your fingers are your only tools.

For trap or field work the fastest natural pointer. Your dealer has one. Look it over today.

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A full line of Remington Guns and U. M. C. Ammunition on display at

CHAS. R. GAINES

Wm. BOON

Has bought the stock of goods formerly owned by Heyen & Co., and as an inducement to get the people into the store is making some very low prices.

We Have Come To Stay!

18 lbs. Standard granulated Sugar..... \$1.00	Lenox Soap, per box..... 3.00
Arbuckle and Reunion Coffee, 4 pkgs. 1.00	Clairette Soap, per box..... 3.50
Best Bucket Coffee..... .50	King Komus and New South Molasses per gallon..... .60
Green Coffee [Peaberry] per lb..... .20	Georgia Corn Molasses, per gallon..... .40
65c bucket Cottolene..... .50	17 lbs Best Bayou Beans..... 1.00
Large bucket Cottolene..... 1.25	\$6.00 and \$6.40 Stetson Hats, now 4.00
Best Spuds in sack lots, per cwt..... 2.20	2.00 and 3.50 Hats for men, now 2.50
Best Vinegar, gallon..... .25	Big lot of Boys' and Men's Hats..... .60
Best compound Lard, per lb..... .10	1.25 and 1.50 Shirts, now 1.00
Best Pure Lard, per lb..... .15	Pins, per paper..... .1
Bacon, per pound..... .17	Pepperell Sheetting, bleached, per yd..... .25
Matches, per dozen pkgs..... .40	Best Calico, per yd..... .5
Best 2 lb. Tomatoes, per doz..... .90	6 Spools Coats' Thread..... .25
Van Camp's Hominy, per can..... .10	#3 50 and #4.00 Men's Shoes, now 3.00
25c Club House Salmon..... .20	Big lot of Boys' Suit, per suit..... 1.25
20c Salmon..... .15	50c Blue Shirts, now .40
15c Salmon..... .10	.45c Shirts, now .50
Lump Starch, per lb..... .4	\$1.00 Shirts, now .75
16 cans American Lye..... 1.00	

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Hondo, Texas

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to buy your supplies for school. Don't wait. Look up your books on hand. Make list of ones needed and come and get them before the rush. Same books as used last year. No change this year. Be sure and put on your list Tablets, Pencils, Pens, Ink, School Satchels, Lunch Baskets, etc. This is the place to GET EVERYTHING YOU NEED

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at Windrow's.
m. Finger was in town Tuesday on
ness.
M. Schorobiny was in town
Friday.
Gilliam was down from Mico
Friday.
fresh fruits of all kinds in season.
A. Heyen.
have a nice line of crockery,
Holloway Bros.
Graff was a business caller at
office Saturday.
inter is at hand; get your Heaters
Holloway Bros.
cleaning and pressing a specialty at
ver's Tailor Shop.
ra J. H. Fletcher was down from
Thursday visiting friends.
rs. H. H. Heyen and children are
from Lockhart visiting homefolks.
e'll make that old suit look like
C. R. Hoover at the City Tailor
p.
anted.—To rent a farm of 60 to
acres. Apply to Sid Carter, Hon-
tf.

oves, cook and heaters. We have
at class line. Take a look. Holo-
Bros.
school books are sold for cash only.
to not ask to have them charged.
H. Windrow.
rop in at Hutzler's confectionery
enjoy a cool, refreshing drink
n the soda fountain.
r Sale—A horse and surrey. Will
together or either one separately
ly to J. F. Dilworth. tf.
e Henney buggy is sold under a
et guarantee. Call on E. R. Lein-
er and let him tell you about it. tf.
at new fall and winter suit will
be you in style, quality and price
dered from Hoover, the City Tail-
or.



These Fine Ornaments
enhance feminine grace
and beauty, and accent-
uate the seductive lines
of the neck and gives
poise to the head. Real-
izing this fact we have
bought a splendid quan-
ty, containing many
beautifully designed ones.
Come in and try them on.
You will appreciate both
the goods and the prices.
W. A. Crow
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All kinds of nice fresh candy. F. A.
Heyen.
Tell your vehicle wants to E. R.
Leinweber.
E. W. Lacy was a passenger east
Wednesday.
We have a nice line of crockery,
Holloway Bros.
Rev. Father J. J. Myers was a San
Antonio visitor Thursday.
John Muennink went to Uvalde Mon-
day to attend district court.
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Schmidt were
visitors to the Alamo City Thursday.
D. H. Fly and C. J. Monkhouse
were Alamo City visitors Wednesday.
Try the Anvil Herald one year for
one dollar—less than two cents a week.
George R. Heyen is down from the
dam for a few days rest and recupera-
tion.
Lost.—A pig, two or three months
old, black and red spots. Notify Jim
Hall.
Buy the new Robin Hood loaded
shell. Every one warranted, at C. R.
Gaines.
Mrs. T. E. Wyatt came in yesterday
from Sabinal on a visit to her mother,
Mrs. August Garteiser.
Epworth League Program for Sun-
day afternoon: Missions in Korea. A
cordial welcome for all.
Miss Augerina Travis of San Marcos
arrived yesterday and will open the
Rothe school next Monday.
Bring your wagons, hacks and bug-
gies to L. A. Mechler & Co. to have
the tires set and other repairs made.
W. R. Meredith, the insurance man,
returned Tuesday night from a busi-
ness trip to his old home at Lockhart.
Mrs. Ellen Head returned to her
home at Austin Friday after a pleas-
ant visit to the family of Frank Moore.
District Attorney L. J. Brucks left
Monday for Uvalde to attend district
court in session at that place this
week.
The marriage of Mr. Wm. Weynand
and Miss Mary Saathoff is announced
to take place next Wednesday Septem-
ber 9th.
They save time, money, labor and
seed, Superior grain drills. Recom-
mended by all who use them. Holo-
way Bros.
The boys of the Hondo High School
have organized a Foot Ball team.
Prof. Fred Erney is the Coach and the
boys are practicing every afternoon.

Order that new suit from Hoover.
Winter is at hand; get your Heaters
from Holloway Bros.
See E. R. Leinweber's line of Henney
vehicles before making your purchase.
For sale cheap, a Draughon's Busi-
ness College scholarship. Apply at
this office.
They save time, money, labor and
seed, Superior grain drills. Recom-
mended by all who use them. Holo-
way Bros.
Leopard Britz was over from D'Han-
is Wednesday on business. Mr. Britz
reported a fine rain throughout his
section Sunday.
The self-heating flat iron which
saves woman's strength and fuel.
Write for it. T. A. Christianus, Bra-
dy, Texas. 2mo.
FOR SALE—My entire bunch of
Rhode Island Red Chickens at a reason-
able price. Stock guaranteed to be of
the finest. G. C. Goff. 7-2t
Screen Doors, window screens and
wire cloth for all kinds of screening.
Screen out the flies and buy your
screens of us. King & Hudspeth.
F. Kilhorn the tinner, has erected
and delivered two 2000-gallon tanks
this week, one for Aug. Stiegler and
the other for Wm. Meyer of Danley.
Mr. Wm. Weynand invites all his
friends to attend his wedding dance
which will be given in Saathoff Bros.
Hall at Vandenberg Wednesday night
Oct. 9th.
Some one borrowed our Hay Frame
about a month or six weeks ago.
Please return same, as we are needing
it now, if you have it.
McCLAUGHERTY & HORGER.

The Missionary Society will meet at
the Methodist Church next Monday
afternoon at three o'clock. All mem-
bers are urged to attend, as there is
important business to be transacted.
The Easy, Gasoline Iron makes your
work easy. Every home ought to
have one. See W. E. Clark and let
him show you the best Iron on the
market, the Easy Gravity feed; no
pump, no trouble. It makes your
work a pleasure.
J. M. Lee, the tinner, and family
left Saturday for Devine where Mr.
Lee will engage in business at his
trade. His place with the Hondo
Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co. is be-
ing filled by W. P. Bowman, a tinner
from San Antonio.
Dr. W. E. Patterson left Saturday
evening and Mrs. Patterson and chil-
dren followed Thursday morning for
Portales, N. M., where they will make
their future home. The Anvil Herald
regrets the departure of this family
from our little city.
I now have on display at my Millin-
ery Store on Harper Avenue a pretty
and up to date line of Fall and Winter
Millinery of the most approved styles
and fabrics, and the ladies of Hondo
and vicinity are invited to call and see
the same before making your purchas-
es. MRS. HATTIE CANNON. tf.



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Latest samples
of Suits, Over-
coats, Trousers.
Fit Guaranteed.
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Work called for and deliv-
ered promptly. Ring 143
Killian and Carter

Mention the Anvil Herald to our
advertisers.
Prof. H. S. Roller was here Satur-
day from Lacoste.
Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass return-
ed Saturday evening from their trip to
Galveston.
M. L. Saathoff and Rev. Hancock
were down from Tarpley on business
Wednesday.
Wanted.—To buy empty oat sacks
for packing ice. Hondo Light, Power
& Ice Co. tf.
Wanted to buy, 40 to 80-acre im-
proved farm close to some school. J.
G. Heyen. tf.
Leo Schroeter, the blacksmith, has a
good workman and is prepared to turn
out first class work. 8 tf
Up to Thursday night there had been
shipped from this place this season
5656 bales of cotton.
For best results list your farms,
land and ranches with A. J. Wernette,
San Antonio, Texas.
Call and see our bargains in second
hand buggy we have them to suit all.
McClagherty & Horger.
When settling up your little ac-
counts don't forget to pay your sub-
scription to the Anvil Herald.
The best buggy built for the money
is the Henney. Sold in Hondo ex-
clusively by E. R. Leinweber. tf.
Healthful, refreshing and invigorat-
ing are the drinks served from the
fountain at Hutzler's Confectionery.
Remember if you or your Mexican
want a cheap buggy we have it; from
\$15.00 up. McClagherty & Horger.
NOTICE.—Bathing in the Wm. King
waterhole or shooting around it is
strictly forbidden under penalty of the
law. Joe Britsch. 6-2mo.
Rev. L. McVea, a Methodist preach-
er from Martindale, Texas, is here
this week visiting his sisters, Mrs. J.
B. Hart and Miss Doris McVea.
For sale cheap, an Adams self-
shucking corn sheller with chain ele-
vators. Good as new. Address Balzen
& Albrecht, Knippa, Texas. 4t.
Mrs. Earl Boon and baby and Miss
Bertha Boon arrived Tuesday from
Pearsall, to join the rest of the family
here and make their future home.
For Sale.—A residence, blacksmith
shop, tools and three acres of land.
Price \$2500.00, half cash and balance
on terms to suit purchaser. Apply to
Hondo Land Co.
For Sale.—120 acres, 8 miles from
Hondo, 160 acres in cultivation, plenty
water, with small house, all under
fence, \$25.00—one half cash, balance
on time. J. G. HEYEN.
If you are interested in a high grade
sewing machine, come at once as I am
closing out the White at cost. \$55 ones
at \$32.50, \$60 ones at \$35, \$85 ones at
\$37.50. Only three left. C. R. Gaines.
Let me put rubber heels on your
shoes, they make walking a pleasure.
Can be applied to any shoe. I also
make women's half hand leathergloves
for house-work, garden or farm work.
Ask for prices. Wm. F. Neuman.
To Cotton Planters.—Fritz Frerichs
is agent for the Mebane Cotton Seed
Company, of Lockhart, Texas, grow-
ers of the genuine Mebane Cotton
Seed. See him now and place your
orders at once for seed for spring
planting.
While ginning a bale of cotton for
Lee Green Friday night of last week
fire broke out in the blower at Holo-
way's gin and the bale was ruined be-
fore the fire could be extinguished.
Mr. Holloway reimbursed Mr. Green
for his loss.
C. G. Leighton, the Tarpley tomato
grower, was down from the hill coun-
try Thursday placing orders for his
celebrated brand of canned tomatoes.
Look up our advertising columns and
note where you can purchase this just-
ly famous product.
L. Morris has opened a first-class
short order restaurant in the Buck-
horn Saloon building where he will be
pleased to serve you with any thing
usually served at a short order stand.
Fish and oysters for sale every day.
Give him a call. tf.
Prof. Z. A. Hall, the man who so
successfully presented the play, Texas
Under Six Flags, here a few years ago,
will be here again some time this
month and give a minstrel show with
local talent. The show will be given
for the benefit of the Volunteer Fire
Company.
For Sale.—A new four room house,
with hall, bath room and two porches,
well finished, good barn, and well fen-
ced, situated on two lots, each 60x140
feet, southeast corner of block in the
south part of town. Price \$1,500,
eight hundred dollars cash, balance on
terms to suit purchaser. Apply to A.
D. Gerdes, Hondo, Texas. 4t. pd.

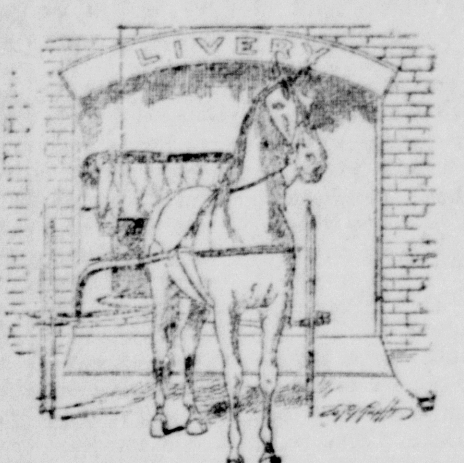
Albert Pichot informed us that the
hay rick that was struck by lightning
at his place one night last week con-
tained forty old loads of cane and it
was all destroyed by the fire except
about five loads that was so damaged
by smoke and water as to render it al-
most unfit for use. Only for the fact
that he had an eight thousand gallon
tank full of water close to the hay and
the fact that himself and family and
several of his neighbors worked hard
to save it all of his hay and barn as
well would have been burned.

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Your presence at the City Tailor Shop with
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C. R. Hoover
The City Tailor Shop
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go into every Henney vehicle and the
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ing allowed to leave the factory. Call
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A BOULEVERSEMENT

By SADIE OLCOTT

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On a train from a great city to Lakeside, an aristocratic aggregation of suburban residences, a couple of ladies dressed in the height of fashion sat together and chatted.

"What do you think, Mrs. Runion," said one, "of the admission of Mrs. Whitely into our set at Lakeside?"

"I don't see anything the matter with her, Mrs. Dugan."

"Of course there's nothing the matter with her; but, laws a mercy, just think of a woman who is making her own living trying to move among people with fortunes!"

"What does she do? Nothing respectable, I'm sure."

"She's forewoman at Sturdevant's—in the cloak department, I reckon."

"She seems very ladylike. I've been told that she's better educated than any woman in Lakeside."

"What's her education nowadays? I tell you, it's money that does the business."

"I'm sorry to admit that."

"How's Mrs. Whitely going to return the invitations she gets, I'd like to know?"

"I have understood that she hasn't accepted any of them yet. Mrs. Barbour and Mrs. Trask have been trying to get her 'out' because she is so intellectual. They say we need more of that kind in our circle."

"That would be all right, but if you're going to bring in shop people you're not going to keep the circle very select, you can just bet on that."

When the train reached Lakeside, each of these ladies entered her automobile and proceeded to her home. Mrs. Dugan picked up an open letter, addressed to her husband, lying on his desk, and read it. The following paragraph brought a pallor to her cheeks.

"It is only lately that I have learned through my wife that you are living in Lakeside. She recognized Mag Bunker, whom you married, as one of the leaders of fashion in Lakeside. I have instituted proceedings against you for obtaining money under false pretenses, in that the goods you sold to me in Wyoming were spoiled when you delivered them and received pay for them."

"I have not before this had the means to prosecute you, even if I had known your whereabouts. But I have just made a big sale of land to a railway corporation, on which my commissions are a couple of hundred thousand. This shall all be spent, if necessary, in landing you in jail."

Mrs. Dugan flew upstairs and found her husband in his bedroom in deep dejection.

"Well," she said, "I see that Whitely has found us. I smelt danger as soon as I saw his wife."

"Yes," he replied. "And it will take all we've got to settle and keep out of jail."

"Can't you make a bluff?"

"No."

"Well, brace up. We must go to the Turners' tonight. It won't do to give up our position in society till we have to."

"All right, Mag. I haven't seen Whitely yet. I don't know what I can do with him. I may save something. He'll probably be here tomorrow."

The couple "braced up" and went to the Turner reception. They received a shock there. Who should enter but Mrs. Whitely on the arm of her husband.

"Hello, Pat," said Whitely. "Hello, Mag. When did you drift east?"

"I'll see you in the morning, Mr. Whitely," said Dugan obsequiously. "Where shall I find you?"

"I have no place for talk. Suppose I come to your house?"

"Say 10 o'clock in the morning."

"Ten o'clock it shall be. You're laughing well, Mrs. Dugan. I saw you yesterday in the train. I was sitting in the seat behind you."

Mrs. Dugan turned as red as a boiled lobster.

Neither Mrs. Whitely nor her husband interfered during the evening with the social standing of the Dugans, but the latter left early. The next morning Whitely called at Dugan's residence and was admitted by a butler in livery. Introduced into Dugan's library—the books had been selected for him by another—the two sat down for a conference. Dugan offered \$50,000 in settlement. Whitely said his loss had been \$100,000 and he must have every cent.

"I can't raise the cash for a long time to come," replied Dugan, but I'll tell you what I'll do. This house and lot cost me \$40,000. I give you \$50,000 in cash and throw in the property."

Whitely accepted the proposition and the matter was closed.

The very next day the Dugans left their residence and the Whitelys took possession. Mrs. Whitely gave up her position. Pat Dugan was obliged to go to work bossing a gang of laborers, and his wife took in sewing. But Pat never recovered the grip he had lost, and his wife was thenceforth unknown in society.

When it was announced that Mrs. Dugan had left Lakeside and the Whitelys were in possession of her home, the village was agog. Every one knew that Mrs. Dugan had opposed Mrs. Whitely's entrance into society, which increased the interest in the change. But the reason for it never became known. Mr. and Mrs. Whitely kept the secret.

HIS OTHER MINE.

He Found a Use For It After He Had Dallied With New York.

Australia's most picturesque character got to town the other day. He is Tom Brown, miner, speculator, after dinner speaker and world traveler. Sixty-five years old, he has just returned from a visit to a South American mining region, where the thermometer stood 100 degrees in the shade.

"That isn't anything to what Australia can do," said the tall, lean traveler. "It's a fact that we can fry eggs on a sun heated shovel out in our country."

It is his boast that forty years ago he was captured by the Maoris, stripped and tied up, to make the piece de resistance at a cannibal feast. Luck saved him, he got back to Sydney in time to take part in the gold rush, and for a generation he has been one of Australia's richest men. "Just write 'Tom Brown, Australia,' on an envelope, and I'll bet you that the letter will find me," he declares. When he first struck New York he put in a few days seeing the city while waiting for the arrival of his steamer.

"I guess the high prices won't frighten me," said he. "I've got a gold mine working for me and another gold mine that I know is good that I have never opened up. I'm holding that in reserve."

Three days later one of the others of his party reported to him. "Tom," said he, "shall we make reservations for the return to Australia or stay here a few days longer?"

"I don't care," said Brown, "only if we decide to stay here for awhile walk around to the cable office with me. I want to cable my manager to open up that other mine."—Herbert Corey in Cincinnati Times-Star.

Wanted to Lump It.

At a certain college in Scotland the male students were not allowed to visit the resident lady boarders. One day a male student was caught in the act of doing so and was court martialled.

The rector, addressing him, said: "Well, Mr. —, the penalty for the first offense is 2s. 6d., for the second 5s., for the third 7s. 6d., and so on, rising half a crown each time up to 25."

In solemn tones the trespasser said: "How much would a season ticket cost?"

Turned the Tables.

A drunken man who sought to buy a ticket at a theater box office was denied the privilege.

"What's matter?" demanded the applicant. "What's matter with me?"

"Well, if you really want to know,"



"WHAT'S MATTER WITH ME?"

responded the keeper of the box office, "you're drunk." The frankness of this reply had rather a sobering influence upon the playgoer. He gathered up his money with dignity. "Of course I'm drunk," he said cheerfully as he turned to go. "I wouldn't come to see this play if I were sober, would I?"

Helped Out the Code.

A Boston oil man was putting down a well in virgin territory. He was keeping the fact a profound secret in order to secure leases without difficulty if he got a good well. But he arranged a code telegram to be sent him as soon as the drill reached sand in order that the news might not leak out at the telegraph office he told the driller that the sentence "Pine trees grow tall" would mean that he had struck oil. The driller promised to follow instructions. In a few days the telegram arrived. It read: "Pine trees grow tall. She's spouting clean over the derrick!"

A Great Comfort.

In rural New England districts the telephone takes the place of tea in the city as a place where women gather and retail gossip. Walter Prichard Eaton in American Magazine tells the following story:

"It's a great blessing, 'specially if you're on a party line,' said our hostess. 'And we're all on party lines! Wait—' "She went to the instrument, called a number and remarked: 'What you, Bessie? What's this I hear 'bout you'n Jim breaking it off?'"

"We watched her smile as she listened to the answer. Then she said: 'How'd I hear it? Why, Mrs. Asa Parker told me.'"

"She held the receiver free of her ear and beckoned us close. We heard distinctly an indignant voice exclaim, 'Why, Sarah Bowers, I never said no such a thing!'"

"I thought I'd catch her," said Mrs. Powers when the telephone conversation was closed. "As I told you, the phone's a great comfort to us all!"

Texas Needs Great Men

III. MISTAKES.

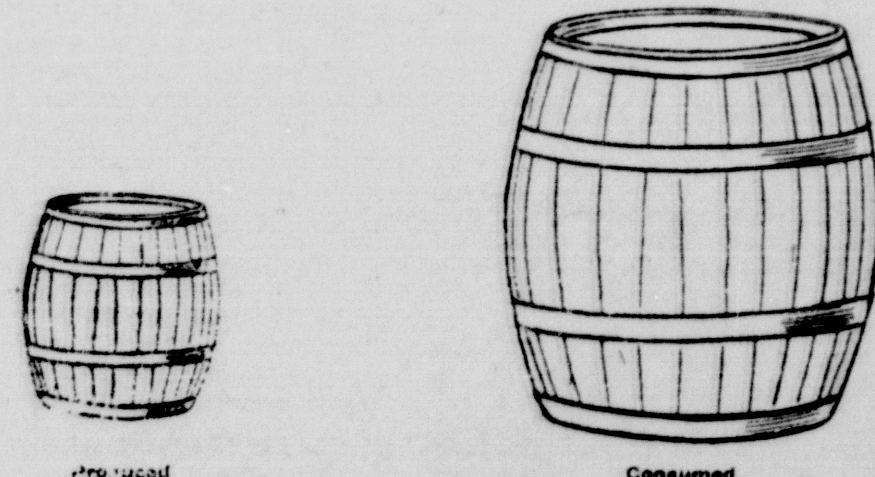
THE statesmen of China have fought back civilization for four thousand years and today it is the most benighted nation of the globe. The Mohammedan government ordered the world's greatest library at Alexandria burned and the followers of the prophet are to this day bound in fetters of ignorance. The dark ages were the result of nations fighting back the tide of civilization. Since the beginning of government, some of the leading statesmen of all countries have become badly frightened at the processes of civilization.



MOHAMED'S MISTAKE.

The smoke of a factory has been distorted into the visage of a terrible ogre; the whistle of a locomotive has been mistaken for the war whoop of an Indian and the approach of capital has scared many of our amateur statesmen into fighting a duel with civilization. Texas needs leaders who will not become frightened at the torch of knowledge or stampede at the forces of progress. Texas needs great men.

The Raising and Marketing of Live Stock



THE TEXAS PORK BARREL.

As a revenue producer, the Texas hog undoubtedly excels every other animal on the globe and enjoys the distinction of being the only animal that can swell a bank account by emptying a swill barrel. He is the favorite of the barnyard, a leader in packing house society and occupies first place in the larder of the consumer. In addition to consuming all the pork we produce, we ship in 100 carloads of pork per week and our annual consumption excels production \$24,450,000.

The Texas pork barrel will be investigated by the Texas Welfare Commission, Col. I. T. Pryor of San Antonio is chairman of the sub-committee having this subject in charge.

Avoid Sedative Cough Medicines.

If you want to contribute directly to the occurrence of capillary bronchitis and pneumonia use cough medicines that contain codeine, morphine, heroin and other sedatives when you have a cough or cold. An expectorant like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is what is needed. That cleans out the culture beds or breeding places for the germs of pneumonia and other germ diseases. That is why pneumonia never results from a cold when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is used. It has a world wide reputation for its cures. It contains no morphine or other sedative. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

With her summer finery on, every girl is pretty—at a distance.

W. A. Rimes, Ruston, La., writes: "Sometime ago I took Foley Kidney Pills, and must confess the results have been marvelous, for I feel like a new man. I suffered from kidney and bladder troubles, but Foley Kidney Pills fixed me. I will recommend them to all sufferers from kidney trouble. W. H. Windrow.

A Log On The Track

of the fast express means serious trouble ahead if not removed, so does loss of appetite. It means lack of vitality, loss of strength and nerve weakness. If appetite fails, take Electric Bitters quickly to overcome the cause by toning up the stomach and curing the indigestion. Michael Hessheimer of Lincoln, Neb., had been sick over three years, but six bottles of Electric Bitters put him right on his feet again. They have helped thousands. They give pure blood, strong nerves, good digestion. Only 50 cents at W. H. Windrow's.

And it is often the case that a tall man is financially short.

J. C. Ray, Winfield, Ala., says: "My father T. J. Ray suffered with kidney and bladder trouble so bad he had to use a catheter. Various kidney remedies were tried without results, and finally we gave him Foley Kidney Pills. In three days he could pass some water and on the fifth, no longer needed a catheter. He continued to use Foley Kidney Pills until entirely cured." W. H. Windrow.

ALABAMA TURNS

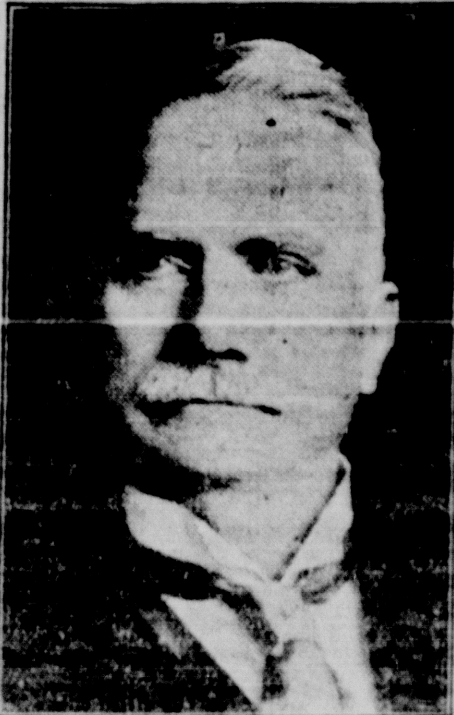
GOES BACK TO LICENSE AND THE REGULATED SALE OF LIQUORS IN SALOONS.

CARRIED BY MAJORITY OF 1600

Commissioner Lane and Chief of Police Bodeker Give Startling Figures Regarding Situation in Alabama.

Birmingham, Ala.—After a sharp campaign, Jefferson county has gone "wet" by a majority of over 1,200, and for the regulated saloon by a majority of over 1,600. Nearly 600 people who voted "dry" failed to vote for the dispensary in preference to the regulated saloon.

Jones G. Moore, who was an ardent prohibitionist in the "wet and dry"



JUDGE A. O. LANE

Commissioner of Justice of Birmingham, Ala.

fight in Alabama in 1907, was the chairman of the local option campaign committee. Commenting on the victory, Mr. Moore said: "The result shows beyond a doubt that the people are tired of the evil effects of the blind tiger and the illegal sale of liquor."

The campaign was bitterly contested, with most of the city officials in favor of the return of the licensed saloon. Judge A. O. Lane, former mayor of Birmingham, former judge of the circuit court of Jefferson county, and now commissioner of public justice in Birmingham advocated the return of the saloon.

Lane on Prohibition.

Commissioner Lane said that since April, 1910, there had been 1,666 arrests in Birmingham for violation of the prohibition laws, and of that number 668 were convicted. Of these cases 559 were appealed, leaving only 109 to pay fines in money or labor. The en-



GEORGE H. BODEKER, Chief of Police, Birmingham, Ala.

tire docket in the criminal court, before a judge and jury, during a whole week last June consisted of prohibition cases alone, and there was not a single conviction.

Judge Lane said that ten patrolmen devoted their entire time to running down "blind tigers" in Birmingham, and that for four months it cost the city over \$900 a month to fight the "blind tiger" evils.

Bodeker Gives Figures.

Chief of Police George H. Bodeker, one of the most popular police chiefs Birmingham has ever had, made a vigorous effort to enforce the prohibition laws, and acknowledged his failure to do so. The police record of arrests as given by Chief Bodeker was as follows:

For violation of the prohibition law in 1908, 508; 1909, 761; 1910, 747; six months, 1911, 508.

Arrests for drunkenness, 1908, 746; 1909, 1,302; 1910, 1,366; six months, 1911, 674.

Arrests for disorderly conduct, 1908, 842; 1909, 1,336; 1910, 2,281; six months, 1911, 1,502.

In a campaign speech Chief Bodeker said: "My observation has been that the prohibition laws are violated, disregarded and repudiated by some of the very best men in the community. This failure has also had a very demoralizing effect upon the enforcement of other laws. Reckless disregard and defiance of one class of laws naturally result in the disregard and defiance of other laws."

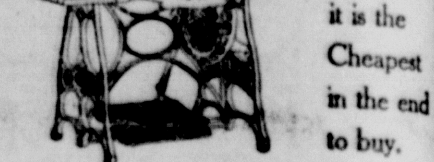
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T. J. Brownlow,
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25 and 50c bottles

A man is always willing to get himself into trouble; he wants everybody to lend a hand at pulling him out.

Children that are pale, sickly and peevish, with dark rings under the eyes, fickle appetite, and appear to get no nourishment from the food they eat are surely suffering from worms. Give them WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE and note the wonderful improvement. They soon take on flesh and are rosy, active and cheerful. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

If a man drinks too much, he needn't tell any body, and neither will it help him to try to keep it a secret.

Paris, Tex., I, the undersigned, take pleasure in stating that I have used Cheatham's Chili Tonic, and a few doses broke a severe case of Chills and fever on me about six weeks ago, and I have had none since. I consider it the best medicine for the purpose I ever used.

Yours truly,
J. E. Kay.

The capacity of a man's family to spend money is only limited by his capacity to get it for them.

Chronic rheumatism contracts the muscles, distorts the joints and undermines the strength. A powerful penetrating and relieving remedy will be found in BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT. It restores strength and suppleness to the aching limbs. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Too many of the compliments that are passed out are insincere.

When the bowels become irregular you are uncomfortable and the longer this condition exists the worse you feel. You can get rid of this misery quickly by using HERBINE. Take a dose on going to bed and see how fine you feel next day. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

The fun you pay for is more fun to the man you pay it to.

THE FRIGHTENED STARS.



The sea was blue and early-white;
I played with it all day;
It splashed me and ran after me,
Then laughed and ran away:

I went to say good-night to it,
Before I went to bed,
But rows and rows of little stars
They shivered overhead;

And then I saw the reason why—
And oh, I hid and cried—
The sea was black and sly and smooth,
With swallowed stars inside!

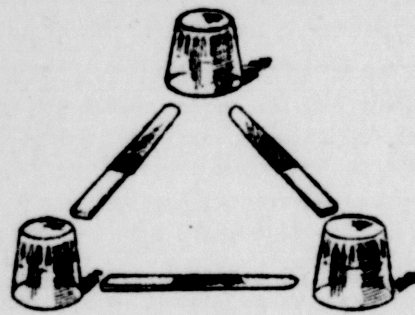
MERRY GAME FOR A WET DAY

Chance for a Bright Boy to Win Social Distinction by Introducing Novel Trick.

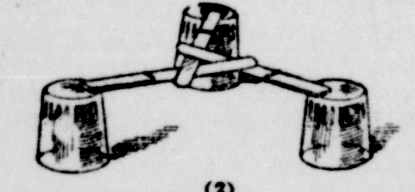
Here is a merry game for a wet day, when one of those leaden silences has fallen on the gathering, and a chance has come for some bright youth to win social distinction by coaxing out applause or roars of laughter.

Obtain three glasses and three knives, and arrange them as in illustration (1). Now defy any person present to construct a bridge from glass to glass by means of the knives without moving the glasses any nearer one another.

Many will make attempts in vain, and great glee will result among the



(1)



(2)

The Bridge of Knives.

lookers-on. Finally, when every one is weary of trying, perform the marvel as shown in illustration (2).

SOME VERY WISE OLD CROWS

They Fooled the Dog and Carried Off His Meat by Clever Trick—One Bit Animal's Tail.

In the inn garden I saw a dog eating a piece of meat in the presence of several covetous crows. They evidently said a great deal to each other on the subject, and now and then one or two of them tried to pull the meat away from him, which he resented, says a writer in an exchange.

At last a big, strong crow succeeded in tearing off a piece, with which he returned to the pine, where the others were congregated, and after much earnest speech they all surrounded the dog, and the leading bird dexterously dropped the small piece of meat within reach of his mout, when he immediately snapped at it, letting go the big piece unwisely for a second, on which two of the crows flew away with it to the pine, and with much fluttering and hilarity they all ate, or rather gorged it, the deceived dog looking vacant and bewildered for a moment, after which he sat under the tree and barked at them inanely.

A gentleman told me that he saw a dog holding a piece of meat in like manner in the presence of three crows, which also tried to tear it from him, and after a consultation they separated, two going as near as they dared to the meat, while the third gave the tail a bite sharp enough to make the dog turn round with a squeak, on which the other villains seized the meat, and the three fed triumphantly upon it on the top of the wall.

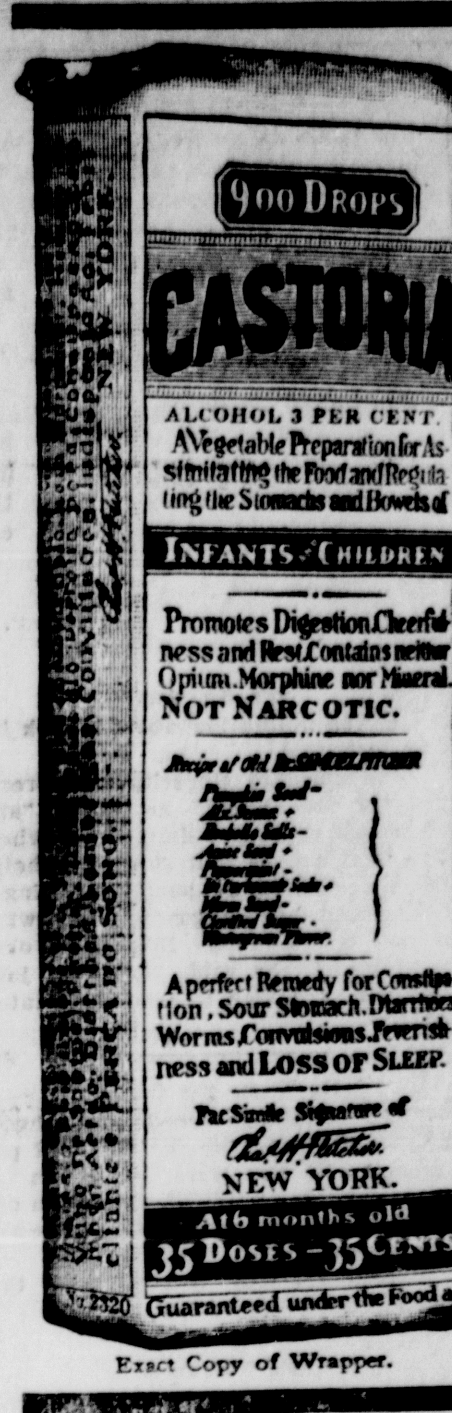
Too Busy to Watch.

"Clara," said a mother to her little three-year-old daughter, who had been spending the day with a neighboring playmate, "were you a good girl during your visit?"

"I don't know, mamma," replied Clara; "I just had so much fun that I forgot to pay any attention to myself."

Born Everywhere.

Little May's parents had changed their place of residence frequently and one day when some older persons were telling where they were born and brought up she said, with a sigh: "I was just born everywhere and brought up all over."



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